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COVERNMENT AND MILITARY INSTALLATIONS MOVE TO MANCHURIA -- Pusan, Minju Sinbo, 28 Mar 51

Pak Chung-im, a special correspondent for the Minju Sinbo, reports from Seoul that the government of the People's Republic of Korea has moved all the North Korean military installations to the Mu-tan Chiang area in South Manchuria, the governmental facilities to Kirin in the Chien-tao district, Manchuria, and the general headquarters of the People's Army to T'ung-hua, Liaoning Province. Only the advance headquarters of the People's Army remains within the North Korean border, at Kanggye in P'yongan Pukto. The retreat to Manchuria was prompted by fear that the UN Forces might invade Manchuria after conquering all of North Korea. Pyongyang is practically deserted today except for the presence of a garrison composed of women police officers and men over 40 years of age.

The above information was obtained by Pak from an interview with Kim Chin-ki, a former reporter for the Chosun T'ongsin-sa (South Korea News Agency) and a cadre member of the Kunno Inmin-tang (Working People's Party), who was sent to Seoul by Yi Chu-yong North Korean ambassador to Manchuria, on 15 February 1951 to spy on the movements of the UN Forces. Kim was captured by the Counterintelligence Corps of the Republic of Korea's 5816th Force.

According to Kim's statement, the propaganda line in Mukden and P'yongyang is that the Chinese Communist Forces now occupy South Korea as far as Pusan and Taegu, and the UN Forces hold only Suwon and the south bank of the Han River.

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DEAD SOLDIER'S TAG BEARS JAPANESE NAME -- Pusan, Minju Sinbo, 20 Apr 51

According to ROK soldiers fighting on the eastern front, a Japanese soldier was among the enemy troops killed recently in the vicinity of the Imjin River near the 38th Parallel. The men of the 9862d Force, also known as the "Paektu-san" Force, discovered among the dead the body of an enemy as the "Paektu-san" force, discovered among the dead the body of an enemy soldier, who, according to his identification tag, was Okamoto Takeo, age soldier, who, according to his identification tag, was Okamoto Takeo, age 29th attached to the 29th Brigade of the Chinese Communist Forces. Okamoto 29, attached to the 29th Brigade of the Japanese Kwantung Army.

The 9862d Force of the ROK Army, which distinguished itself by recovering Hill 51h and the towns of Hoengsong, Hongch'on, Ch'unch'on, and Kap'yong in the recent Red counteroffensive, is currently defending the strategically important Hill 1468 of T'aebaek San. This hill overlooks the strategically important Hill 1468 of T'aebaek San. and consequently was a most convenient route for the UN advance northward, and consequently was a target for the enemy's spring offensive. On 22 April, 1951, a CCF regiment, target for the enemy's spring offensive. On 22 April, 1951, a CCF regiment, taking advantage of the rain and snow, launched a heavy counterattack against taking advantage of the rain and snow, launched a heavy counterattack against a unit of the 9862d Force, which was defending the hill. After 5 hours of a unit of the 9862d Force, which was defending the Imjin River area, fierce hand-grenade fighting, the enemy withdrew to the Imjin River area, leaving behind over 80 of their dead.

KIM KYU-SIK REPORTED ALIVE IN RED HANDS -- Pusan, Minju Sinbo, 6 Apr 51

The tens of thousands of prominent men of South Korea whose whereabouts have been unknown since they were taken to North Korea by the Reds at the time of the 25 June 1950 invasion, are reportedly confined in Chagang Do, said to be a new province created by the puppet regime near the Manchurian border from parts of P yongan Pukto and Hamgyong Pukto.

A former ROK government official, who was among those taken to Chagang Do, has disclosed that over 10,000 anti-Communists and nationalists are now confined in farm houses and temporary prisons established there. Among these are Dr Kim Kyu-sik, former chairman of the Legislative Assembly of the South Korean interim government; An Chae-hong, former editor of Chosun Tlbo, founder of the Nationalist Party, and member of the Legislative Assembly; Ilbo, founder of the Nationalist Party, and member of the Government in Exile and Cho So-ang, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Government in Exile in Shanghai

The former ROK government official, who managed to escape from Chagang Do in the latter part of December 1950 after 2 months of captivity, said that persons of no importance among these captives who could not serve any purpose for the Reds were held in temporary prisons, while those who could be utilized for the Reds were segregated from the rest and placed in nearby farm houses in some way were segregated from the rest and placed in nearby farm houses. Their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor, and they were barely their food and general living conditions were very poor.

The official further stated that the former director of the Electric Power Bureau in the ROK Ministry of Commerce and Industry, electrical and construction engineers, and other persons whom the Reds could exploit were taken to Communist-occupied Seoul to help rehabilitate Seoul and, at the same time, tell the people that those who were taken to North Korea are well treated.

The official stated that normal economic activities are at a complete standstill in North Korea today. Since the money has no value, prices fluctuate violently, and trade in confined to primitive barter, he said, all the banks are bankrupt.

According to the official, the present population in Chagang Do is largely composed of government workers and some of their families, although most of the families have been sent to the northeastern part of Manchuria.

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